

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:685
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SETTING UP OF KISAN VIDYA PEETH
RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government propose to set up `Kisan Vidya Peeth` in Ranchi;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be set up?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a), (b) & (c) : There is no proposal to set up `Kisan Vidya Peeth` in Ranchi. However, the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) has established a Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK) in Ranchi during 1977 in favour of Ramakrishana Mission Ashram. The activities of the KVK include technology evaluation and assessment of its impact through on-farm testing and frontline demonstration, training of farmers, and training of extension personnel.